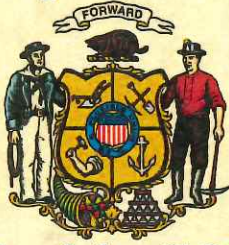


STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

Proclamation

WHEREAS; the Wilmot Union High School (WUHS) Academic Decathlon Team successfully defended its Division II National Academic Decathlon title in Anchorage, Alaska on April 30th defeating a school from Rhode Island by more than 2,000 points; and

WHEREAS; WUHS Academic Decathlon Team members are Brenna Simmons, Ashley Dabbs, Angela Schumacher, Alexa Lewis, Carl Simmons, Joey Burba, Kyle Kostrova, Isaac Bruley, and Carlie Banchi with coach Don Serkowski; and

WHEREAS; the WUHS Team collected more than 40 total medals contributing to a total of 47,606 points out of a possible 60,000 and also won the Division II Super Quiz Championship; and

WHEREAS; WUHS has won the state Academic Decathlon the last three years; and

WHEREAS; in 2016, WUHS beat out 20 teams from around the state and broke a 27-year state record in the reading and literature test; and

WHEREAS; Carlie Banchi, third in the state honors division, and Joey Burba set state records on the science exam, each posting a perfect 1,000; and

WHEREAS; WUHS's Carl Simmons was the leading scorer in the entire state for the second consecutive year; and

WHEREAS; Social Studies Teacher Don Serkowski has coached the WUHS Academic Decathlon team for the last 14 years;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott Walker, Governor of the state of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim Wednesday, June 1, 2016 as

WILMOT UNION HIGH SCHOOL ACADEMIC DECATHLON TEAM DAY

throughout the state of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all of our citizens.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the state of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the city of Madison this 31st day of May 2016.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Scott Walker".

SCOTT WALKER
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Douglas La Follette".

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State